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1. IRAN 2. CNTRY CODE: 507 3. SER NO: 0094400
4. SKERKAT MACHINALATE OMRANI LTD.
4A. CODE: K 4B. CODE: A 4C. CODE:
5. 11 SEPAND AVENUE, IRANSHAHR AVENUE
6. TEHRAN, IRAN
7. ESTABL: 1970 8. IMPL: 162 9. SIZE:(19-X) LARGE
10. REPUTATION:(22-X) GOOD
11. SELLS ITS PORDUCTS THROUGHOUT IRAN
12. RPT DATE: 8/76
13. 35310/538 IMP SIDT CONSTRUCTION MACHINERY AND QUIPMENT
14. CONTACT: Y. PANAHPOUR AND J. NAZEMIAN
TITLE: MANAGING DIRECTORS
15. CABLE: NO 876 16. TELEX: 212452 OMRA/IR
17. TEL: 821015"827082
18. FINANCIAL REFS: BANK MELLI IRAN: TEHRAN, BANK BAZARGANI
IRAN, TEHRAN.
19. TRADE REFS: SAME AS(20)
20 AGENCY REPS: INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER, CHICAGO, ILL
CONSTRUCTION AND INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT 1970; AVELING-BRADFORD
GROUP OF COMPANY, ENGLAND, CONSTRUCTION EQUIEMENT 1970;
HARNISCHFEGER INTERNATIONAL(P&H) HYDROLIC CRANES, 1975;
BLAW-KNOWX MFG. CO. USA, FINISEHERS, 1974; TAMPO MANUFACTURING
CO. USA, CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT 1975; IMPERIAL EASTMAN, USA
CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT, 1974.

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21. FIRMS IMPORTS AND DISTRIBUTES CONSTRUCTION MACHINERY AND

EQUIPMENT PRINCIPALLY FOR OWN ACCOUNT AND OCCASIONALLY ON COMMISSION BASIS. IT EXCLUSIVELY REPRESENTS INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER OF CHICAGO, ILL. FIRM MAINTAINS OFFICES, SHOWROOM AND SERVICE FACILITY, OCCUPYING SOME 8,000 SQUARE METERS, IN LEADING BUSINESS AREA. FIRM IS OWNED AND MANAGED BY YOUSEF, MORAD AND MOZAFAR PANAHPOR, J. NAZEMAIN, AND LAINAGHI ASSADI, ALL REPUTABLE AND WEALTHY IRANIAN BUSINESSMEN. ACCORDING TO THE BANK STATEMENT, PRINCE MAHMOUD REZA PAHLAVI IS A SILENT PARTNER IN THE COMPANY. SAME BANKING SOURCE REPORTS FIRM'S REGISTERED CAPITAL AT 100 MILLION RIALS, AND RATES ITS BUSINESS REPUTATION AS "GOOD". FIRM REPORTS ITS WORKING CAPITAL AT 150 AND ANNUAL SALES VOLUME AT 1,500 MILLION RIALS. P.E. EMBASSY RECOMMENDS FIRM AS GOOD TRADE CONTACT.

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